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TO : Chief, Plans and Policy Staff

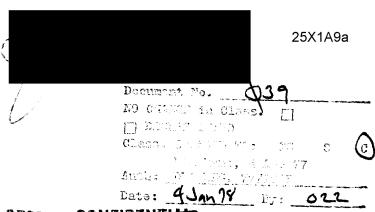
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FROM : Chief, Assessment and Evaluation Staff

SUBJECT: Semiannual Report to Hull Committee

The following items appear to be appropriate for the Hull Committee Report:

- l. The training evaluation and support function formerly performed by this Staff has been decentralized. Psychologists performing this function have been transferred to the direct supervision of the school chiefs. The Chief, Plans and Policy Staff has the responsibility for coordinating the activities of these individuals in the different schools. He also has the responsibility of reviewing courses and teaching new instructors in instructional techniques. It is anticipated that this change will result in a closer integration of educational support activities into the individual courses.
- 2. The testing batteries now in use in the A&E Staff for selection and placement of Agency employees are now sufficiently developed so it is no longer necessary to devote as much time to research test development as has been the case in the past. The Research Branch is being reoriented so that the activities formerly performed by clerical personnel will be done in future months by computer processing.
- 3. The Assessment Branch has been assuming more and more responsibility for providing psychological support services to the Clandestine Services.
- 4. The reorientation and reorganization of the Staff has resulted in the Table of Organization being reduced from 48 to 28 slots.



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